

AMERICAN AIR MEN STRIKE THE BOCHE ON ALLIED FRONT

NUMBER 200,000 STRONG

GAS ORDINANCE IS LAID OVER TO JUNE 3

A. G. Whitney of Gas Co. Present and Addressed Council on Need of Passing Amendment

Street Light Ordered for Maple and Fifteenth Streets, Fourth Avenue Northeast to be Improved

Action was postponed to June 3 by the city council Monday evening on the proposed gas ordinance amendment.

The Brainerd Gas & Electric Co. asks for an amendment to Ordinance No. 295 which will give an increase of 35 cents per thousand cubic feet of gas, to hold during the period of the war and until conditions are restored, being not to exceed two years after the proclamation of peace, at which time the old rate of \$1.35 is automatically restored.

All councilmen were present except Alderman Frank G. Hall.

A. G. Whitney of the gas company was present and spoke on existing conditions which made necessary his request for an increase in rates. He spoke of the auxiliary unit which had been ordered and which installation was now held in abeyance.

Several citizens spoke on the gas situation. The council ordered a street light installed at the corner of Maple and 15th streets.

Minor street improvements were ordered. It was reported The Northwest Paper Co. would aid in improving a section of Fourth avenue from Ash to the Minnesota & International railway right of way, by surfacing same with bark and cinders.

The city engineer was asked to present a profile of grade of Tenth street south from Quince to Lake. The engineer estimated the probable cost would be between \$1,500 and \$2,000 for grading.

Seize Dutch Ship

Amsterdam, May 21.—The Germans have seized the Dutch ship Aneta and taken it to Swinemunde. She carried a cargo of lumber.

MANY PUPILS ARE KILLED

Prisoner Says Germans Lose 70 Per Cent Learning to Fly.

With the French armies, May 21.—A prisoner says the Germans are having great difficulty in finding airmen. Their casualties were many while training at the station where he learned to fly. He estimated that only 30 per cent of the pupils ever reach the line. The rest were killed while learning. The scarcity of officers now renders it necessary to send up privates as observers.

Ten Steel Ships Added in Week.

Washington, May 21.—Ten steel ships of 55,850 aggregate tonnage were completed and delivered to the Emergency Fleet corporation during the past week, and 14 others, some wood and some steel, of 43,000 tons, were launched.

Navy Augments Patrol Forces.

Washington, May 21.—The American navy is increasing its patrol forces in European waters, the Navy department officially stated. This increased patrol is one of the factors in the decrease in submarine sinkings. Acting Secretary of Navy Benson asserted the department felt the submarine situation had improved, but the department would be loath to make optimistic predictions lest the people relax and the submarine campaign burst out with renewed vigor.

First Field Army of U. S. Troops is Formed in France

(By United Press)
Washington, May 21.—America's first field army, approximately two hundred thousand strong has been formed in France and consists of two army corps and three divisions each. General Bjornstad is chief of staff. Major General Liggett, it is understood, is commanding one army corps.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Latest Telegraph

Shop Men Strike

Winnipeg, May 21.—Eight thousand and railway shop workers struck today, closing four railway shops. The street railway men numbering 3,000 threaten to strike in sympathy.

Tornado in Kansas

Salina, Kansas, May 21.—Five were killed and many injured in a tornado which swept over this section of Kansas today. Great property damage is reported. More casualties are feared when reports come in from outlying districts.

Tanker is Lost

Washington, May 21.—The American tanker William Rockefeller has been lost at sea, it is officially announced. Details are lacking as to the fate of her crew.

British Succeed

London, May 21.—Successful British raids are reported in Flanders and Picardy. Hostile firing continues in Flanders and near Arras with preliminary German attack on the western portion of the Flanders front.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Ex-Vice President Fairbanks Very Ill Condition is Serious

(By United Press)

Indianapolis, Ind., May 21.—Following a restless night, a consultation of physicians was called this morning for former Vice President Fairbanks, who is ill at his residence here. After an examination, his condition was declared to be very serious. Prominent physicians of the state made up the council.

—BUY W. S. S.—

WOMAN AND CHILD KILLED

Heavy Storm Destroys Six Buildings at White Pine, Minn.

Duluth, Minn., May 21.—A refugee from White Pine, Minn., reached Duluth, bringing news of a tornado which visited that village Sunday.

He said that two people lost their lives in the storm. One, a woman, was blown against a tree with such force that life was crushed out, while the other, a child, was smothered under a mattress when a house collapsed. Six buildings were destroyed.

Brig. Gen. Coe Promoted.

Washington, May 21.—The President has raised Brig. Gen. Frank W. Coe to the rank of major general and asked the Senate to name him chief of coast artillery. Brig. Gen. John D. Barrett, National army, was nominated for brigadier general in the regular army.

Appeal for Nurses.

Washington, Nov. 21.—"We should have now in this country 10,000 public health nurses," said Miss Annie Goodrich, federal inspector of military hospitals and president of the American Nurses' association, in an appeal to the college women of the country to enter the nursing profession. Miss Goodrich asserted that the number of nurses required for work at the front in hospitals in this country and for general public and private nursing will increase steadily as the war goes on.

(By United Press)

With the British Afield, May 21.—An American aviator from the vicinity of Philadelphia fought a German flyer over the lines near Ypres with his own leg broken by a machine gun bullet.

His engine became disabled and he was compelled to land in German territory. Under fire from a German battery he crawled into a shell hole and later managed to reach the American lines. The battery demolished his machine. The aviator is now in the hospital and the injured leg is improving. His was one of the most thrilling and miraculous escapes thus far reported.

—BUY W. S. S.—

American Flyer in Trial Spin Sights a Boche, "Dead Bird"

(By United Press)

With the Americans in Lorraine, May 21.—Captain David Peterson jumped into a monoplane this morning for a trial spin to test out the motor northwest of Nancy.

Spotting a German biplane, he attacked it and forced the Boche to drop behind the German lines. Peterson has officially brought down five enemy planes and usually gets what he goes after.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Airplane Plant in Frisco Burns, Hint at Incendiary Work

(By United Press)

San Francisco, May 21.—Fire of an unknown origin destroyed an airplane factory located in the heart of the city today. The fire started in the Emanuel Cabinet Works, used in manufacturing airplanes. The owners are said to have received threatening letters. Suspicious point to possible work of incendiaries.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Aid For Russia

(By United Press)

Washington, May 21.—Influential sources are urging upon the government to direct American aid for Russia through troops, money and more Red Cross workers.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Charge Pro-Germanism

(By United Press)

London, May 21.—It is learned that the government will soon publish evidence intended to show that the Sinn Feiners were in connection with German propaganda.

—BUY W. S. S.—

HOMAGE TO AMERICAN ACE

Americans and French at Funeral of Maj. Lufberry

(By United Press)

With the Americans Afield, May 21.—American and French flyers gathered wherever possible to do homage to Major Lufberry, the American Ace who was recently killed. French and American bands played martial music while French and American companies stood at attention during the funeral ceremony.

As the casket was being lowered, word was brought that another Boche flyer had been downed. A private remarked:

"That is just as Lufberry would have it. He would rather have a Boche downed than to have elaborate funeral services for himself."

Word has been received that Captain James Norman Hall, aviator, of Colfax, Ia., who was believed to have been downed behind the German lines, is alive in a German hospital.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Dublin Remains Calm, 100 Sinn Feiners Taken in Custody

(By United Press)

Dublin, May 21.—The city is outwardly calm, although the streets are thronged with restless groups of people, discussing the arrest of one hundred leaders in the Sinn Fein uprising.

It is evident that the government made a clean sweep for the Sinn Feiners appear to be guileless and uncertain what action to take next. They defy the government to show proof of pro-Germanism and declare that if proof is not shown, they will do something, although it is problematical what step they propose to take.

The Sinn Feiners headquarters still remain open. The anti-subscription fund has now reached one million dollars.

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MANY TO GIVE DAY'S WAGES TO RED CROSS

Northwest Paper Co., Parker & Topping Co., and Many N. P. Shop Men Aid in Campaign

Section Men of Northern Pacific Contribute Close to \$100, Half Cash and Balance on Payment Plan

DR. ALEXIS CARREL

Named commander legion of honor by French Government.



Dr. Alexis Carrel of the Rockefeller Institute has been promoted by the French government to the rank of commander of the Legion of Honor. The new decoration has just been bestowed upon him.

TO TAKE FIRM STAND

Troubles in Ireland Cause American Officials Concern.

Necessity of Some Action Is Impressed Upon Washington by Recent Meetings Here.

Washington, May 21.—The United States government, according to indications, will soon make clear its attitude toward the latest developments in the Irish situation.

Resolutions adopted by recent Irish mass meetings in this country and the reported approaching visit to Washington of the lord mayor of Dublin are understood to impress upon administration officials the necessity for some action.

State department officials declined flatly to discuss a report from London, that some of the evidence upon which Sinn Fein leaders were arrested had been gathered here.

In any statement that may be made regarding Ireland it is understood that the United States government will take a firm position with due regard to the fact that American soldiers are fighting with the British in France against the common enemy.

London, May 21.—"We understand the government has conclusive evidence," says the Daily Mail, in regard to the Irish arrests. "The danger to the Allied cause should not be underestimated. The Germans clearly hoped that at the supreme moment of the gigantic offensive which they are now preparing the Sinn Fein would hamper our forces and distract our efforts by a great insurrection in Ireland."

The campaign for the Second Red Cross War fund, which opened Monday, is progressing satisfactorily, according to D. D. Schrader, county chairman and he forecasts that Crow Wing county will go over the top in good shape, but urges all workers not to let up in their canvass, for in some localities possibilities that they may fall behind exist and others must make up any deficiency.

The Northwest Paper mill employees, Parker & Topping Co. foundry and a large percentage of Northern Pacific shop employees have agreed to contribute one day's wages to the fund and this insures a substantial sum for the fund locally.

The section men of the Northern Pacific contributed \$99.91, one-half cash and the balance on the payment plan. This is a splendid showing, as their scale of pay is not up to that of other men in the Northern Pacific service and many of them are men in middle life and some of advanced years.

They were solicited by William McGarry, clerk to the roadmaster and in every instance he found the men willing and anxious to do their part and only regretted, as one man put it that "I haven't a thousand to give."

TURKS START NEW MASSACRE

Resume Offensive All Along Caucasian Front.

London, May 21.—The Turks have resumed the offensive along the Caucasian front and have occupied Van, says a dispatch from Tiflis, dated May 12. Another Armenian massacre has been begun. The negotiations for a separate peace between the Caucasian diet and the Ottoman government have been broken off on account of the exorbitant demands of the Turks.

PREMIER U. S. AIRMAN KILLED

Major Lufberry, American Ace, Loses Life in Air Battle.

With the American armies in Lorraine, May 21.—Major Raoul Lufberry, American ace and former member of the Lafayette escadrille, was killed in an air battle over the American lines. Lufberry was struck by a machine gun bullet during a running fight and fell from his monoplane. The body fell in the American front line and was recovered.

U-BOAT IS SUNK BY TRAWLER

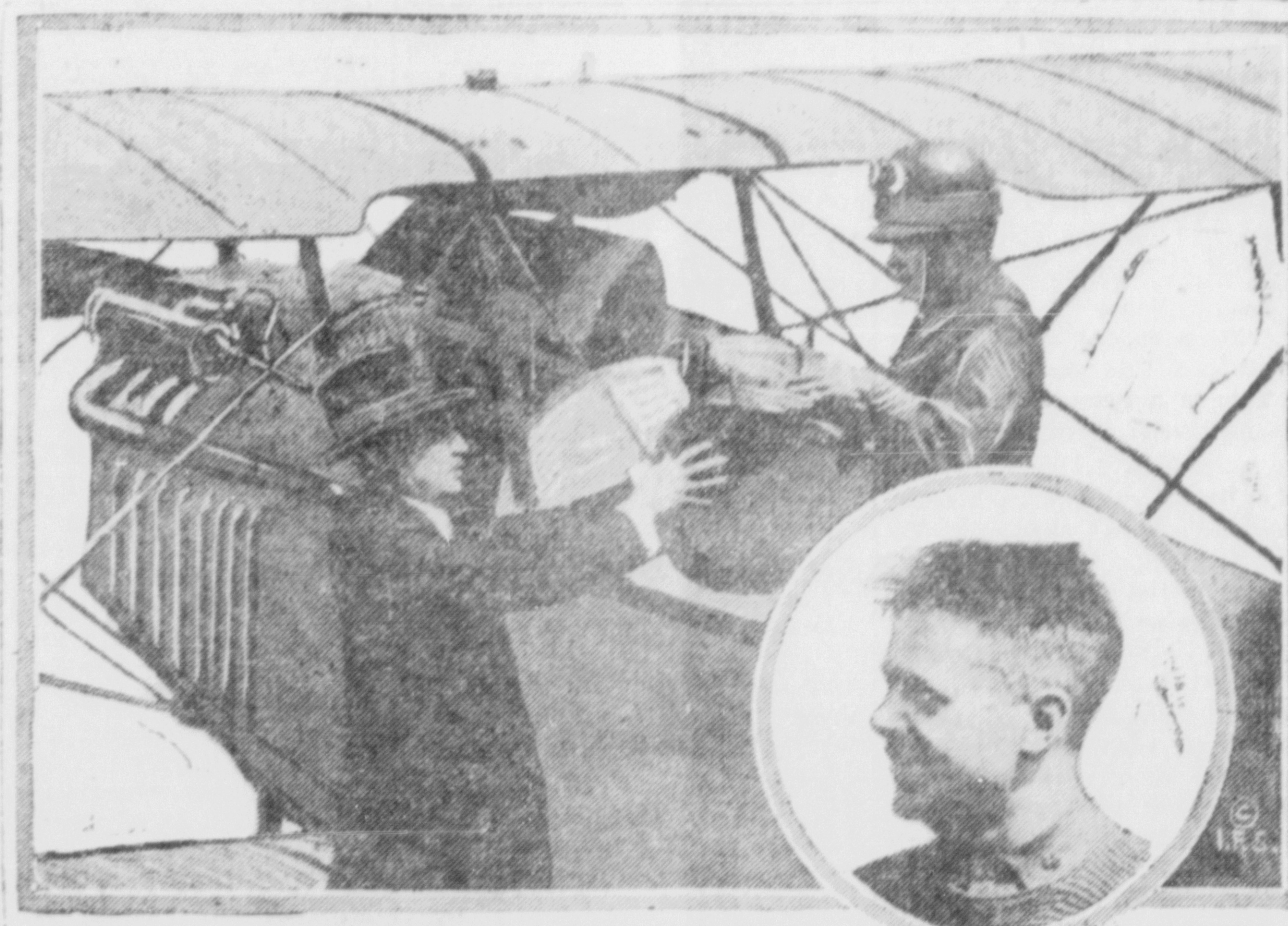
German Submarine Commander Captured and Prisoners Freed.

Paris, May 21.—The trawler Alilly sank a German submarine, captured the commander and liberated the captain and crew of a Spanish sailing vessel who had been taken prisoner, a dispatch from Toulon says.

Baseball Player Collapses.

Boston, May 21.—George "Babe" Ruth, premier pitcher of the Boston Red Sox and the American league's leading batsman for this season so far, collapsed on a streetcar here while on his way to Fenway park, where he was to take part in the Cleveland-Boston game. Ruth had just left a doctor's office. Ruth had been suffering from throat trouble, which is believed to have caused his collapse. He was taken to the Stillman eye and ear hospital where it was said he might be laid up a week.

First Mail Airplane Leaving Mineola for Washington



LIEUT. TORREY WEBB, U.S.C.

The first of the five small airplanes established to carry mail between New York City and Washington, the first mail ever flown, left the aviation field at Mineola, L. I., not far from New York City, Wednesday, just before noon on its flight of more than 200 miles. Lieutenant Torrey Webb, of the aviation section of the United States Signal Corps, was the pilot who took the first pouch of mail to the National Capitol.

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THE WEATHER**Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours:**

Rain.
Forecast for the week: Showers
early in week, fair thereafter; some-
what cooler Monday or Tuesday;
nearly normal temperature thereaf-
ter.
Cooperative observer's record, 7 P.
M.:—
May 20, Maximum 59, minimum
34. Reading in evening, 54.
Cloudy. Northeast wind. Trace rain.
May 21, Minimum during the night
44. Rain.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

News of Parties, Visitors, Vis-
its, Deaths, Accidents, Etc.,
gratefully received by the Dis-
patch. Telephone North-
west 74.

D. J. Rochon of Crosby was in the
city today.

Clark's for your wall paper. 251tf

P. J. McGill went to Minneapolis
this afternoon.

Miss Rose Hoerner went to Minne-
apolis this afternoon.

Mrs. Victor Root of Ironton was
shopping in the city.

For Spring Water phone 264. tf

Deputy Sheriff John Byrnes went
to Crosby this afternoon.

Bargains in homes & lots. Nettleton.
230tf

**Brainerd Chapter
No. 42, R. A. M.**

Will confer the Royal Arch De-
gree after the regular meeting.

TUESDAY, MAY 21, 7:30 P. M.

Mrs. Edward R. Syverson of Iron-
ton visited friends in the city today.

Eyes examined, glasses fitted. Dr.
E. E. Long, Ransford Bldg. 179tf

L. M. Schustad, well known travel-
ing man of Minneapolis, is in the city
today.

D. M. Clark & Co. sharpen and re-
pair lawn mowers. 290tf

D. D. Schrader will be the 4-Min-
ute Man speaker at the Best this eve-
ning.

E. A. Colquhoun was at Pequot
yesterday on matters of a business
nature.

Henry White famous Asparagus.
Brookway & Parker, sole agents. 285tf

A complete account of food admin-
istration activities will be published
tomorrow.

BEST THEATRE

TODAY

Virginia Lee Corbin in
"The Trouble Makers"

See Ad

Miss Esther Dahlstedt of Ironton
returned home from Minneapolis this
afternoon.

Vacuum cleaner for rent. Brainerd
Electric Co., Phone N. W. 179, Auto-
matic 6012. 263tf

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Day and son Joe
have returned from a visit with rela-
tives in Duluth.

Minnows for sale, 309 Third Ave.
N. E., Phone 906-J. 287tf

Ascalon Commandery exemplified
the Red Cross degree at a special
meeting last evening.

For bargains in houses and lots,
see J. R. Smith, Sleeper Block. 226tf

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Pearce went to
Faribault this afternoon for a short
visit with friends and relatives.

Crystal Spring water, \$1.00 month.
L. Bourassa, Telephone 13. 541m

C. W. Bouck, of Royalton, well
known member of the legislature, is
in the city greeting his many friends.

**White Cross Lodge No. 30
Knights of Pythias**

Will Meet Tomorrow Evening

There will be work in the Rank of
Esquire and all Brother Knights are
requested to attend.

HUGO A. KAATZ.
K. R. S.

The Degree of Honor will give an
"Old time dance" at Elks hall this
evening. Tickets 25 cents a couple. 11

John Sievertsen, popular traveling
man of Griggs, Cooper & Co., is re-
covering from an operation for ap-
pendicitis.

Buy your cement blocks of Ritari.
Let us bid on your job. 276-1m

Charles Emerson, of Duluth, travel-
ing road engineer of the Northern
Pacific railway company, was in the
city today.

Mrs. George Wooley of Los An-
geles, Cal., is the guest of her son-in-
law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. B.
C. McNamara.

Your health and the health of your
children is endangered by dirty, un-
sanitary rugs. Let Olson clean them
the sanitary way. Phone 975. 292tf

F. A. Tanzer of Battle Lake, is in
the city on business. He was form-
erly located in Pequot where he con-
ducted a hotel.

E. C. Johnson, in charge of the
dredge work for the government near
Motley, was home for a visit with his
family over Sunday.

WANTED TO BORROW—\$1,000
loan wanted on new \$10,000.00 busi-
ness property in growing Central
Minnesota town. Will pay 8% for
5 years. Address "C. A." Brainerd
Dispatch. 295tf

E. A. Colquhoun, county agricul-
tural agent who is organizing boys
and girls canning clubs, went to Deer-
wood this afternoon.

Mrs. P. G. Clarkson is expected
home tonight from Minneapolis
where she has been the guest of
friends for some time.

Rev. J. J. O'Mahoney delivered the
4-Minute Men talk at the Best thea-
tre last evening, supporting the Red
Cross War Fund campaign.

Henry White famous Asparagus.
Brookway & Parker, sole agents. 285tf

Dick Herbert went to Allerton,
Iowa, this afternoon, called there by
the sickness of his sister, Mrs. Fran-
ces Brandt. He will be absent about
eight days.

For a first class job of Oxy-Acety-
lene welding go to Herbert Peterson
at the Woodhead Motor Co. garage. 13tf

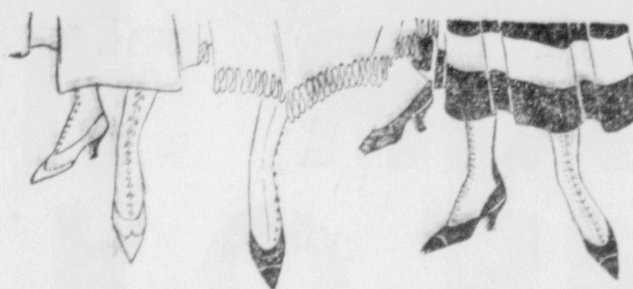
Attorney L. B. Kinder and R. M.
Sheets will make the trip to Ross Lake
tonight to attend a Red Cross meet-
ing scheduled for that place. Atty.
Kinder will be the speaker.

B. Kaatz & Son of N. E. Brainerd,
are having a special sale of dainty
White Blouses this week at one dol-
lar. This is a new shipment of
waists just received from New York. 11

Mike Door went out on his first
run as an M. & I. brakeman on No.
13 this morning. He shed a little
when he saw the number of the en-
gine and caboose but it not being Fri-
day, decided that the "hoodoo num-
ber" did not count.

"Keep the home-fires burning," is
a mighty fine sentiment. But how
can you do it when you have no
home and no fuel to burn. Nettleton
supplies both on surprisingly
easy terms. Not only that, but you
can give the table and dinner pail a
boost from your own garden and hen
roost. He has timbered lots to burn,
which you can pay for as you earn. 11

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ing courtesy, and a deep realization of the
importance, not only to the store but to the salesman himself, of selling
the customers shoes which give him satisfaction.

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THE STORE OF QUALITY

**NEWSPAPERS HAVE
MERGED AT CROSBY**

Crosby, May 21—E. B. Brown, who
has been publisher of the Crosby
Crucible, this week purchased a con-
trolling interest in the Crosby Cour-
ier and the two papers were consoli-
dated under the name of Crosby Cru-
cible and Courier.

H. L. Nicholson, who has been the
editor of the Courier, will be associ-
ated with the new enterprise as as-
sistant to Mr. Brown.

—BUY W. S. S.—

LEVI WALBURN DEATH

Passed Away at Home of His Brother,
John Walburn, Near
Brainerd

Levi Walburn, age 55, died of
Bright's disease at the home of his
brother, John Walburn, twelve miles
east of Brainerd. He leaves a wife
and no children. It is expected to
hold the funeral on Thursday after-
noon from the school house near
Bouck's. Mr. Walburn was employed
some months by S. B. Hayden of
Brainerd.

—BUY W. S. S.—

DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY.

WANTS**HELP WANTED**

WANTED—One girl at Garvey's res-
taurant. 2441-291tf

WANTED—Six helpers at Parker &
Tapping foundry, 9 hour day. Ap-
ply to foreman. 2427-288tf

WANTED—Competent girl for gen-
eral housework. Apply Mrs. Mal
Clark, 515 North 5th St. Tele-
phone 636. 2432-289tf

WANTED—Middle aged lady to help
with housework in family of four
adults. No children. Two miles
from town. Address Mrs. Theo.
Felter, Brainerd, Minn., Route 5.
2452-2414

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Rooms in the Lager-
quist block. 2370-280tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room, 722
South Broadway. 11

FOR RENT—A small store room in
the Pearce block. 2342-277tf

FOR RENT—Modern home, 21 Bluff
Ave. North. \$35 month. J. H.
Krekelberg. 2437-290tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room, cen-
trally located, 402 South Broadway
N. W. 933-L. 2419-287tf

FOR RENT—A suite of modern rooms
on the first floor with board. Mrs.
Stillings, 303 N. 5th. 2403-284tf

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished down
stairs rooms and small garden plot.
Inquire 1604 Pine St. S. E. 2440-294tf

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished
rooms in modern home for light
housekeeping. Telephone 381-L. 2430-288tf

FOR RENT—Summer cottage on
Gull lake. Ice, garden and boats.
Lots for sale. Inquire J. M. Hayes. 2424-288tf

FOR RENT—Store building, 219 S.
Sixth street. With or without
meat market fixtures. Inquire
408 S. Broadway. 2459-296tf

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Furniture. 1020 S. 7th
St. 2455-295tf

FOR SALE—Furniture. 1029 South
Seventh St. 2465-297tf

FOR SALE—Bargain, delivery truck.
Turcotte Bros. 2460-296tf

FOR RENT—2 or 3 room furnished
flat in Mahlum block. 2464-297tf

FOR SALE—L. C. Smith typewriter,
No. 2. Apply 817 S. 7th. 2463-297tf

FOR SALE—16 acres in city limits
S. E. Brainerd. Ole Larson. 2324-275tf

FOR SALE—Nine room house at 220
9th St. N. Inquire at 323 9th St. 2453-294tf

FOR SALE—A large Clermont coal
stove. 1011 Kingwood Street. 2447-292tf

FOR SALE—160 acres unimproved
land in Daggett Brook, P. M. Koop. 2318-274tf

FOR SALE—LaCrosse corn planter,
used one year, \$25. Call at poor
farm. 2456-296tf

FOR SALE—Sewing machine \$23.00
if taken at once. Inquire 815
Main St. 2446-292tf

FOR SALE—Singer Sewing machine,
for \$28.00. Party leaving town.
Call 131-W. 2191-254tf

FOR SALE—120 acres improved farm
land in South Long Lake. Good
buildings. Fifty acres broke. P.
M. Koop. 2319-274tf

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ing to get a well established busi-
ness. For particulars address
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erd, Minn. 2417-287tf

MISCELLANEOUS

LOST—Bunch four keys. Please re-
turn 1323 Southeast Pine. 2458-296tf

WANTED—Young lady wants posi-
tion as bookkeeper or clerk. Phone
381-L. 2461-296tf

WANTED—One large or two light
housekeeping rooms. Phone 937-
J. Mr. Mott. 2457-296tf

WANTED—To buy, refrigerator in
good condition. Address L. H.
Dispatch. 2421-287tf

LOST—Pocket book containing \$30
in bills. Finder return to Dis-
patch office for reward. 2462-297tf

WANTED—Position as bookkeeper,
or to do office work by experienced
young lady. Address Dispatch. 2445-292tf

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Terms, the 6 for \$50 cash and \$15
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selves if well managed in 3 years.
Other large liberty lots for \$50 to
\$100, very easy terms, well located,
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this week will rent the six lots, 1/2
block for \$12. They ought to raise
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bage and onions this year. Investi-
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WOMAN'S REALM

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY PUBLIC SAFETY

County Chairman D. D. Schrader Addressed Council on Red Cross Drive in City

FOOD ADMINISTRATOR MESSAGE

Potato Exhibit in Charge of Miss Poulter—County Meeting in Deerwood May 28

A meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of Public Safety was held at the Chamber of Commerce Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. D. D. Schrader, county chairman of the Red Cross drive, gave an important talk on the value and use of fish. Mr. Schrader suggested the use of the heretofore discarded fish known as the sucker, which is so plentiful in this county, and is equally as good as other fish when fresh, and can be canned and smoked very successfully. Anybody wishing for information on the canning or smoking of the sucker can obtain it from Mr. Schrader, who has had a lot of experience along this line.

Judge W. A. Fleming brought a message to the council from Andrew Berglund, Food Administrator for the county. One thousand women from Crow Wing county are needed to assist Mr. Berglund in clerical work. An immediate response to this request is hoped for, any woman or high school girl who can give an hour or so to this work, need not wait to be asked, but telephone the name to Mrs. O. H. Johnson at the Ransford hotel or offer services.

Henry I. Cohen spoke briefly on the present Red Cross drive, emphasizing the point that the women should contribute to this great work as well as the men, and so be recorded as helping to finance this great organization.

A potato exhibit was in charge of Miss Poulter. Bread and biscuits containing 50 per cent potatoes were sampled and recipes distributed. There is a surplus amount of one bushel of potatoes to a person, therefore an increased consumption of potatoes is necessary if these are not to be wasted, so eat an extra bushel of potatoes and help win the war, and save the wheat for the boys in France.

Mrs. O. H. Johnson read a message from Mrs. L. P. Hall, announcing the county meeting to be held at Deerwood on May 28th. Mrs. Hale, chairman of Ramsey county, St. Paul, will be present and will point out the systematic method of working the county in neighborhood groups, which has met with such great success in Ramsey and many other counties. In addition an address will be given by William Hodson, the state director of child welfare. It is hoped that Brainerd will be represented by a large delegation. Keep this date open, and attend the county meeting at Deerwood. Mrs. Johnson also announced that Mrs. Deering of Crosby, had been elected chairman of the child welfare board for one year, and Mrs. P. A. Gough of Deerwood, as chairman of community singing.

The meeting closed with the singing of "America."

Peoples Congregational Aid

The Ladies' Aid society of the Peoples Congregational church will be entertained Wednesday afternoon by Mesdames L. E. Cameron and Arthur Menz. Lunch will be served promptly at 4 p. m.

—BUY W. S. S.—

DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY.

BARN DANCE, SUPPER

For Red Cross at Graber's Thursday. Recruits Guests of Honor

There will be a barn dance and supper at Graber's East Oak street, Thursday evening, May 23rd, given by the Oak Lawn Red Cross Auxiliary, music by Tommie Wood's jazz band.

Boys leaving the 25th will be the guests of honor.

Signs boards show you the way. Come and bring your friends.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Nicholson-Ohman

Dr. Joseph Nicholson has received word of the marriage of his niece, Miss Mildred Nicholson, daughter of the late John Nicholson, to Dr. C. E. Ohman, in the service of the government in the dental department of the army. The marriage occurred at Cincinnati, Ohio, Saturday evening. Mrs. Ohman has visited frequently in Brainerd and enjoys a wide circle of acquaintances here. Her husband has received order to go to France and the newly married couple will go to New London, Conn., preparatory to sailing for France.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Express Thanks

The splendid co-operation of all who helped make the Red Cross parade on Saturday such a success is deeply appreciated by those most closely identified with Red Cross work in this city and county and I take this opportunity to publicly express the same, speaking for the Brainerd Chapter, American Red Cross, its officers and active department heads.

The support of union labor, loyal co-operation of branches and auxiliaries, in fact the substantial assistance afforded by each and every individual and organization are in themselves the most gratifying endorsement the Red Cross could have and should serve as an inspiration for future efforts.

It would be impossible to enumerate all who so ably assisted in making the parade a success and for this reason, this general appreciation is made in the hope that it will be taken home as a personal matter by all who helped in any manner in one of the most gratifying public demonstrations it has been my privilege to ever witness in our city.

Signed,

MRS. J. A. THABES,
Chairman Brainerd Chapter,
American Red Cross.

—BUY W. S. S.—

"House of Glass"

Clara Kimball Young and her own company will appear at the Best Theatre on Sunday in a picturization of "The House of Glass," adapted by Charles E. Whittaker from the dramatic sensation of the same name by Max Marcin, directed by Emile Chautard and distributed by Select Pictures Corporation.

As Margaret Case, Miss Young portrays brilliantly the role of an innocent girl whom circumstantial evidence convicts of complicity in a theft of jewelry; after eighteen months in prison she is paroled and disappears from New York. In the West she meets and marries a railroad man named Harvey Lake; his appointment as manager of a big Eastern road brings them to New York, where she is recognized by a detective. She tells her husband the whole story, and when the detective brings indisputable evidence of her former identity and refuses to be silenced, the situation looks very black. How the clouds are lifted and Margaret's continuously haunting fears removed furnish a dramatic story in which Clara Kimball Young adds to her full crown of laurels as a leading emotional screen star.

W. S. S. SALES IN CITY SCHOOLS

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Worth of Stamps

ALL ARE AIDING GOVERNMENT

Army of Young People Enlisted in the Cause and Making Efficient Salesmen

The city schools are an efficient aid to the government in the sale of War Savings and Thrift Stamps and County Chairman H. F. Michael makes grateful acknowledgement to the schools and classes them as a loyal ally in this branch of service.

There follow the records of the schools:

WHITTIER SCHOOL			
No. No.	In Buy-	room	Amt.
Miss Barrett	31	23	276.75
Miss Lowey	23	20	475.75
Miss Smith	19	18	134.75
Miss Mitchell	35	31	282.50
Miss Somers	32	25	190.50
Miss Small	36	28	127.25
	176	145	\$1,487.50

LINCOLN SCHOOL			
No. No.	In Buy-	room	Amt.
Clara E. Case	23	9	71.25
Mary Crahan	27	21	96.25
Lois A. Winter	31	17	117.00
Mabel A. Edmunds	39	12	26.50
Mae A. Hansen	23	16	28.00
Hattie M. Sager	37	25	79.50
Mary T. Walsh	50	22	54.50
	221	122	\$ 473.00

HARRISON SCHOOL			
No. No.	In Buy-	room	Amt.
Fleda Caniff	31	22	\$ 31.00
Signe Beck	26	13	51.50
Amy Freberg	24	22	32.75
Julia Wahl	30	16	73.00
Mrs. McKay	26	24	68.25
Lucile Jelinek	37	23	54.50
Hannah Redy	33	14	65.50
Edna Allen	38	11	35.75
	265	146	\$ 464.25

LOWELL SCHOOL			
No. No.	In Buy-	room	Amt.
R. M. Williams	25	15	\$ 78.50
R. Foley	37	14	16.00
L. Austin	42	14	47.00
S. Heley	37	13	71.00
S. Irwin	34	15	33.00
S. Hanson	36	14	31.25
E. Anderson	38	12	19.50
G. Carlson	32	14	37.75
M. Early	34	12	20.25
M. Bishop	38	13	7.75
K. Cosgrove	38	12	26.75
	393	148	\$ 388.75

WASHINGTON BUILDING

No. No.	In Buy-	room	Amt.
Miss Gutzler	44	11	\$ 53.06
Miss Walsh	40	16	54.75
Miss Munger	30	13	189.50
Miss Anderson	28	13	36.75
Miss Somers	40	12	26.00
	182	65	\$ 260.06

—BUY W. S. S.—

TEMPTING THE WALTONS

N. M. D. A. Display of Prize Tackle

Exhibited in Ransford Hotel to Good Advantage

A display of rods, bait and accessories necessary to land the big fellows which frequent the lakes of northern Minnesota, has been arranged by O. H. Johnson of the Hotel Ransford in an artistic manner on the walls of the lobby.

These are samples of prizes to be given to successful anglers in the bait casting contest arranged for the summer meeting of the Northern Minnesota Development association by the secretary, co-operating with a prominent manufacturer of Downaglac, Michigan.

Mr. Johnson has "draped" the lines and bait about places on which are mounted some fine specimens of pike and bass and the effect is very attractive.

OFF FOR MERRIFIELD

Red Cross Auction and Meeting Tomorrow Refreshments to be Served—Other Meetings

A large number of local people will go to Merrifield tomorrow night to attend the Red Cross auction and meeting to be held at Hollingsworth's hall. A patriotic address will be given at 8 o'clock and a large assortment of goods sold at auction, the proceeds to go to the Red Cross War fund in that district.

Among the local people who are to make the trip in cars are the following: A. G. Trommald, Claus A. Theorin, Paul G. Clarkson, D. D. Schrader, Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Thabes, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Linneman, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mahlum, and others.

Other meetings scheduled for tomorrow night in support of the Red Cross drive are ones at Barrows at which Rev. F. W. Hill will speak, Daggett Brook, the speaker to be arranged later, and at Little Pine, E. A. Colquhoun to speak.

A successful meeting was held at Emily last evening, W. C. Cobb being the speaker. Mrs. W. A. Fleming and Mrs. Erma Camp Hartley also attended, the trip being made in the Hartley car.

—BUY W. S. S.—

KNITTER'S DON'TS ARE ISSUED

At this time, when we are asking for more socks, and when yarn is so difficult to obtain, the following don'ts seem pertinent:

Don't send a pair of socks which measure less than 13 inches or more than 14 inches from top of leg to tip of heel (4½ inches of curling is included in this measurement.)

Don't accept a pair of socks which measures less than 10½ inches or more than 12 inches from tip of toe to tip of heel.

Don't accept a pair of socks narrower than 3½ inches or wider than 4½ inches in either foot or leg when measured double.

Don't make sock with double heel. Don't knot yarn in knitting; all yarn should be spliced when it is necessary to break the yarn for any reason. Knots cause great discomfort to our soldiers.

Don't fail to mark plainly every pair of socks with foot size in inches.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Freshman-Sophomore Party

Saturday, May 18, the Freshman and the Sophomore classes of the high school enjoyed a picnic at Gilbert lake. At 9:30 cars ranging from the Jeffrey to the Ford began to convey the ninety passengers, consisting of the members of both classes and the faculty, to the lake.

At 1 o'clock on the lake shore, a bountiful lunch was served, of which the students partook heartily, all bashfulness and modesty being laid aside. The afternoon was spent in playing games, boating, and the climbing of the steep, wooded slopes of Ahren's Hill. No serious accidents marred the day, excepting that John Gemmell, in taking a death-defying leap from a boat to the dock, missed the latter and took a plunge in the cool waters below.

In order to be prompt and ready for the Red Cross parade in which many of those present participated, it was necessary to depart at about five o'clock. It was a perfect day and a "grand and glorious" picnic. Everyone went home happy, pronouncing this the best picnic ever, and a day never to be forgotten.

Beside the faculty advisors Miss Schroeder, and Miss Qualee, there were present, Miss O'Brien, Miss N. Schroeder, Miss Keene, Miss Richardson, Miss Tornstrom, Mrs. Lawrence and Mr. Jones.

—BUY W. S. S.—

DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY

Lake Farm Prospers

The Gull Lake farm of County Treasurer S. R. Adair is fast "blossoming like a rose" under his thrifty husbandry and he recently exhibited some fine looking wheat and potatoes, to say nothing of small garden truck, to admiring eyes of Dr. J. A. Thabes and a party of friends at the Thabes cottage over night.

Mr. Adair has cleared a fine field of ten or more acres, which has been seeded to wheat and the crop is looking fine. Another tract has been planted to potatoes, "tall-growing" beans and peas, small garden truck and the like with favorable weather, he expects to hold the palm for small farms cultivated by city men along the lake front.

—BUY W. S. S.—

SAVED FROM HATCHET

White Leghorn Hen Purchased at Hubert Auction Lays Egg for Would-be Executioner

Saved by an egg, or the story of Miss White Leghorn, the Red Cross hen from Hubert. Thereby hangs a tale.

A little white hen and her consort, a single-combed White Leghorn rooster, were purchased by a Brainerd man at the Red Cross auction at Hubert recently. What to do with them was a question when their new owner returned to Brainerd and the suggestion that they furnish the piece de resistance for a Sunday dinner was accepted.

An improvised pen held the pair over night. Sunday morning dawned, the family arose late and meanwhile the hen followed her usual custom of depositing an egg daily, this time in her prison pen and without the luxuries of a nest or box.

The executioner, hatchet in hand, made ready for his work. One of the family spied the egg, the rooster crowed lustily and the man-with-the-ax hesitated.

"Eleven more of those and she will have about paid for herself," he mused.

"Give her a chance, Daddy," said a young hopeful. And he did.

Chicken wire purchased, plans for a hen house made, hen and rooster happy and a new span of life, is the answer.

Moral—Even a hen can rise to an emergency and prove her usefulness at the right time. It pays to be on the job, no matter how stormy the future may look.

—BUY W. S. S.—

"Woman God Forgot"

The general impression is that barbers were introduced into America by the Spaniards and later by the English and French settlers of the early days, but the research department of the Artercraft Pictures Corporation, in doing the research work for Geraldine Farrar's spectacular production, "The Woman God Forgot," which will be seen at the Best on Wednesday, discovered that barbers and barber shops existed in America long before Columbus discovered that the earth is round. The early Aztecs had complete barber shops, with the exception of the striped pole and the bootblack, hundreds of years before the arrival of Cortes. In place of the steel razor, barbers used pieces of obsidian, a species of feldspar, with which they moved the bristles from the chins of the Aztecs.

"I always seem to get things like this," and Miss Farrar pointed to a pair of nearly nude Indian warriors who with arrow and spear were attacking the mass of fighting Spaniards, but a short distance away from her. Five minutes before she paused, Miss Farrar herself was leading the attacking Indians, and was surrounded by flying arrows and fighting men.

"You know," the diva continued, "in 'Joan the Woman' we had a number of very strenuous scenes in which I took part, and really I believe that Mr. deMille lies awake nights thinking of different combats in which I can enter. He has burned me at the

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stake and nearly had me killed in a number of different ways.

"However, I have certainly enjoyed doing this picture, which deals with the conquests of the Mexicans by the Spanish, and I was never so fascinated with anything in my life.

"The Aztecs had their own courts, and really it surprised me when I delved into the history of that period to find out how far they were advanced. Of course they worshipped idols, and a number of different gods, but the most terrible thing they did was to offer human sacrifices. Life was cheap in those days, and the custom had been handed down to them for centuries.

"Miss MacPherson's story tells how Montezuma's daughter sacrificed her country and her father for the love of a young Spaniard, a captain under Cortes, the conqueror.

"Mr. deMille has done this picture in some of the most beautiful and spectacular settings I have ever seen, and I feel sure that everyone will like the production."

—BUY W. S. S.—

Catholic Forester Aid

The Catholic Forester Aid will meet with Mrs. H. P. Dunn, 323 N. Third street, Wednesday afternoon, to sew there instead of at the Rest Room. Members of court and friends will be welcome.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Hide Picture Wires.

Never, if you can help it, hang pictures so that the wires will show, and do let the pictures hang against the wall as if they were really and truly decoration.

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We eat too much meat, which clogs Kidneys, then Back hurts and Bladder bothers you.

Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally, else we have backache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders.

You simply must keep your kidneys active and clean, and the moment you feel an ache or pain in the kidney region, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good drug store here, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is harmless to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity. It also neutralizes the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is harmless; inexpensive; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everybody should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean, thus avoiding serious complications. A well-known local druggist says he sells lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble.

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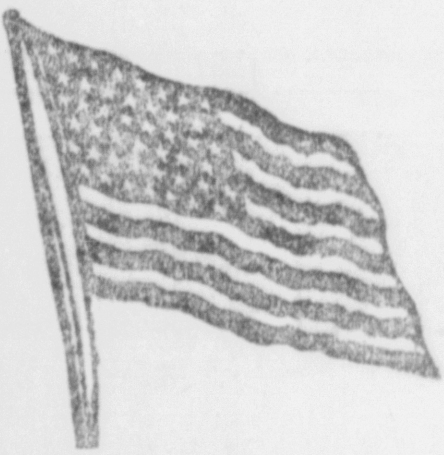
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Of your Land and my Land
Safe within its folds.
Your heart and my heart
Beat quicker at the sight;
Sun-kissed and wind-kissed,
The Red, the Blue and White!
The one Flag—the Great Flag—
The Flag for me and you—
Glorified the whole world wide—
The Red, the White, the Blue!

THIRTY

In the passing of N. H. Ingersoll, editor of the Brainerd Dispatch, the community loses one of its substantial citizens and his business and social associates a loyal friend.

Taken comparatively without warning, in the prime of life and at the very zenith of a useful career when he had come into the full enjoyment of the fruits of earnest effort and honest dealing with his associates, his death is a deep shock to the community and his place in Brainerd, the home town he loved so well, will not soon be filled.

"Bob," as he was lovingly known to a wide circle of warm friends and associates, was a positive character. Frank and sincere in his convictions, loyal to a fault, he bound his friends to him with bands of steel.

His associations with Mr. Wieland in the Dispatch covered a period of nearly thirty-five years and during that time, and through all the ups and downs and discouragements incident to newspaper life in a comparatively pioneer locality, harsh words and misunderstandings were unknown between them.

Identified as he was with all that went for the betterment of Brainerd, those who have been associated with him for so many years will reconcile themselves to his loss with difficulty and with hearts that will always warm to his memory, and will cherish the privilege of having known him.

The home saddened by his taking, the relatives who must go on through life without him, have the sincere sympathy of the community. Members of the newspaper fraternity mourn his loss in the heart-felt conviction that "thirty" has been written in a useful career, in an honorable, useful life and for one who exemplified the very best in rugged, honest and useful American manhood.

"I was born an American; I live an American; and I shall die an American; and I intend to perform the duties incumbent upon me in that character to the end of my career. I mean to do this with absolute disregard of personal consequences. What is the individual man with all the good or evil that may befall him, with comparison with the good or evil which may befall a great country, and in the midst of great transactions which concern that country's fate? Let the consequences be what they will, I am careless. No man can suffer too much, and no one can fall too soon, if he suffer, or if he fall, in the defense of the liberties and constitution of his country."—Daniel Webster.

—BUY U. S. S.—

OTHER VIEWPOINTS

Ready to Help.

And now that it has come to a show-down between Lindbergh and Burnquist, we have no hesitation in offering to crank the Burnquist band wagon and by lightening the opposition load, help him make the hill on high.—Walker Pilot.

Right You Are.

It was advertising that put the Liberty Loan sales over and advertising, good, sensible advertising, will advance the business of any firm doing a legitimate business.—Park Rapids Enterprise.

The Red Cross

It should be a source of daily pride to every American that our own Red Cross is adding new glories to the American name in the mother continent. Our full support is essential, if its present mighty work of succor and human brotherhood is to be continued on an ever-increasing scale.—Akeley Herald Tribune.

Your Future Standing

It is a safe bet that after the war a man's standing in the community will not be measured by the size of his house or the make of his automobile, but by the record of his sacrifices and co-operation during war time.—Bemidji Sentinel.

End of the Rope.

No one who has studied the history of this country has ever believed that the nonpartisan league will be a permanent institution. Moreover, those who have studied the policies and the tactics of the heads of the league, showing as they do a studied and well-defined plan of personal aggrandizement, have had his conviction of an early ending of the league very materially strengthened.—Rock County Herald.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Regular Meetings Give Way to War Activities—Special Meetings Being Held

The regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce is scheduled for tomorrow evening but owing to the campaign for the Red Cross and fact that many of the members are engaged in some part of it, it has been put off, subject to the call of the president.

The directors recently voted to hold but one meeting monthly during the summer months and with the present war activities taking up the time of members, these meetings are likely to be held very irregularly. The chamber rooms are in constant demand and special meetings are being held by the directorate when necessary, in order to take care of important work of the organization.

Perfection by Degrees.

Rembrandt says: "Learn to do well what you already know, and you will find in time the unknown things that you now inquire about."

SUDDEN SMASH PROVES SUCCESS

French Make Whirlwind Attack Along Narrow Front in the Lore Sector.

RETAIN THEIR GROUND

Positions Taken Will Prove of Great Assistance in Repelling the Anticipated Offensive of the Germans in That Region.

With the British Army in France, May 21.—In the Lore sector French troops, who are fighting alongside the British, have made another of their whirlwind attacks and have thereby advanced their line along a 4,000 yard front.

Several hundred German prisoners have thus far been brought in. The prisoners have been sent on the happy road to the French rear.

No attempt was made to push forward to a great depth and all objectives were gained. As a consequence there has been a decided improvement in the Allied positions.

Teutons Forfeit Vital Ground.

London, May 21.—The French administered a smashing blow against the German front northwest of Kemmel, in Flanders, netting them more than 400 prisoners in an advance over a front of 4,000 yards. This important progress was made east and northeast of the village of Lore, which is the pivot of the Allied front protecting the southern flank of the Ypres salient.

The success deprives the Teutons of valuable ground from which to start the impending drive. It bars the approaches to Lore even more firmly and adds to the possibility of a French drive against Kemmel when the moment is deemed favorable.

Berlin Concedes Attack.

Terrific and effective artillery preparation lasting many hours heralded the brilliant dash of the Polines on the vital sector of the British Flanders front. Berlin in its day communication foreshadowed the attack by recording "violent" and "intense" shelling in the Kemmel region during the night and early this morning. This German night report asserts the French assaults "broke down with heavy losses."

The German war office was also obliged to concede yesterday's British success in entering Ville-Sur-Arcy below Albert though it claims the British attempts to push the advance and subsequent attacks on Morlan-court "broke down with sanguinary losses."

British Down 31 Machines.

Allied aircraft again was feverishly active during the last 24 hours. The British accounted for 21 German machines while bombing planes dropped 16 tons of high explosives on important works and stations behind the German line. Twelve British machines failed to return.

WAYZATA MAN IS WOUNDED

Name of Minnesotan Appears on Last Casualty List.

Washington, May 21.—George A. Redpath of Wayzata, Minn., was among the severely wounded on the last casualty list from France announced in Washington.

Others from the Northwest were Monte Kelley, St. Cloud, and Stephen T. Houmann, Hudson, Wis., both severely wounded.

This casualty list contained 45 names divided as follows: Killed in action, 7; died of wounds, 1; died of accident, 1; died of disease, 7; wounded severely, 27; wounded slightly, 2.

HINES ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

Chief Counsel to W. G. McAdoo Will Aid in Operating Railways.

Washington, May 21.—Walker D. Hines, chief counsel to Director General McAdoo, has been appointed assistant director general of railroads. The appointment is effective immediately.

FLYING BRANCH IS REORGANIZED

Army Air Service Is Divorced From Signal Corps by Executive Order.

FORMS NEW DIVISION

President Wilson Directs That Functions of Producing and Operating Aircraft of All Kinds Be Separated.

Washington, May 21.—As his first act under the new law permitting him to readjust government departments for the war, President Wilson has completed the reorganization of the army air service.

In an executive order, he directed that the air service be wholly divorced from the Signal Corps, and also that the functions of producing and operating aircraft of all kinds in the military service be separated.

The order formally creates a Bureau of Aircraft Production, described as an executive agency which "shall exercise full, complete and exclusive jurisdiction and control over the production of airplanes, airplane engines and aircraft equipment for the use of the army," under a director of aircraft production who also shall be chairman of the aircraft board.

Ryan Given Legal Status.

This gives full legal status and power to John Ryan, recently appointed director of aircraft production, and chairman of the aircraft board. The order transfers to him all funds, lands, buildings and personnel of the signal corps having to do with aircraft production.

Similarly, the position of director of military aeronautics held by Maj. Gen. William I. Kenly is formally established, and all funds, duties, equipment and personnel of the signal corps connected with the operation of aircraft and balloons and with the training of aviators are placed under his direction.

The signal corps reverts to its old functions, having to do only with army signaling and the transmission of military information.

Squier's Authority Cut.

Maj. Gen. George O. Squier, chief signal officer, remains in that post, but without connection with the air service, except that by law, as chief signal officer, he continues as an ex-officio member of the aircraft board.

In connection with the reorganization, made at a time when the department of justice is undertaking an investigation of charges brought against the honesty and loyalty of men heretofore in full control of the air program, Secretary Baker directed today that Col. R. L. Montgomery, E. A. Deeds and S. D. Walton of the signal corps, be detached from all other duties, and assigned to assist the attorney general in his inquiry.

ADVERTISING PRICES INCREASED

Because of the abnormal conditions now prevailing in the printing business due to the war, we are compelled to announce an increase in advertising rates. All printing and publishing costs have advanced from 50 per cent to over 100 per cent, beside which living expenses have steadily increased, as everyone knows.

Therefore, beginning with June 1, 1918, the rate for display advertising will be 20 cents per inch for the first insertion, and 15 cents an inch for each additional insertion, and 25 cents an inch for transient display advertising. This is a flat rate and covers all display advertising, with the exception that all existing contracts will be continued at the old rate until contract expires. Special rates will be made on long time contracts.

Locals and readers will be 7 cents per printed line each insertion. All legal advertisements are to be at full legal rates, viz: 75 cents per folio for the first insertion and 35 cents per folio for each subsequent insertion.

Political advertising will be charged for at the same rate as legal advertising.

INGERSOLL & WIELAND,
Publishers The Brainerd Dispatch.



TODAY

TODAY

Virginia Lee Corbin

IN

"THE TROUBLE MAKERS"

Here is a dandy—seven reels of mirth not a slapstick comedy but one which is bound to make you feel better.

Shows 3:00, 7:45 and 9:15 p. m.
Matinees 6c and 11c Evenings 11c and 17c



VIRGINIA LEE CORBIN
DIRECTION WILLIAM FOX

Tomorrow

Tomorrow

GERALDINE FARRAR in

"THE WOMAN GOD FORGOT"

Matinee 3:00 P. M. Adm. 10c & 15c Evening 7:45 & 9:15 Adm. 15c & 25c

BRAINERD MAN POSTPONES HIS FUNERAL

"I am 66 years old and for past two years have been suffering so badly from stomach and liver trouble, bloating and colic attacks that I did not expect to live more than a few months and was arranging my affairs and even my funeral. Three doses of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy have entirely cured me." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.—Johnson's Pharmacy.

State of Minnesota, County of Crow Wing, In District Court, 15th Judicial District.

In the Matter of the Dissolution of the Rabbit Lake Mining Company, a corporation.

A majority in interest and number of the stockholders of the Rabbit Lake Mining Company, a corporation, having made and filed herein their petition representing that said corporation has no assets nor liabilities, and that the object of its existence has ceased, and praying a dissolution thereof;

It is Ordered, that hearing thereon be had before said Court, in Chambers, in the city of Brainerd, in said County, on June 7, 1918, at ten o'clock A. M., at which time and place any and all persons concerned or interested therein are cited and required to appear, and that notice of said hearing be given by three weeks' published notice thereof in the Brainerd Daily Dispatch.

Dated May 14, 1918.

W. S. MCLENNAN, Judge.
ALDERMAN & CLARK, Attorneys for Petitioners.
First National Bank Building, Brainerd, Minnesota.

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You can be the one to send him a pouch of Real GRAVELY Chewing Plug

It pays to know the facts before you spend your money.

You will be sending your friend more tobacco comfort and satisfaction in one pouch of Real Gravelly Plug than in half a dozen plugs of ordinary tobacco.

Give any man a chew of Real Gravelly Plug, and he will tell you that's the kind to send. Send the best!

Ordinary plug is false economy. It costs less per week to chew Real Gravelly, because a small chew of it lasts a long while.

If you smoke a pipe, slice Gravelly with your knife and add a little to your smoking tobacco. It will give flavor—improve your smoke.

SEND YOUR FRIEND IN THE U. S. SERVICE A POUCH OF GRAVELLY

Dealers all around here carry it in 10c pouches. A 3c stamp will put it into his hands in any Training Camp or Support of the U. S. A. Even "over there" a 3c stamp will take it to him. Your dealer will supply envelope and give you official directions how to address it.

P. B. GRAVELLY TOBACCO COMPANY, Danville, Va.

The Patent Pouch keeps it Fresh and Clean and Good—It is not Real Gravelly without this protection Seal

Established 1831

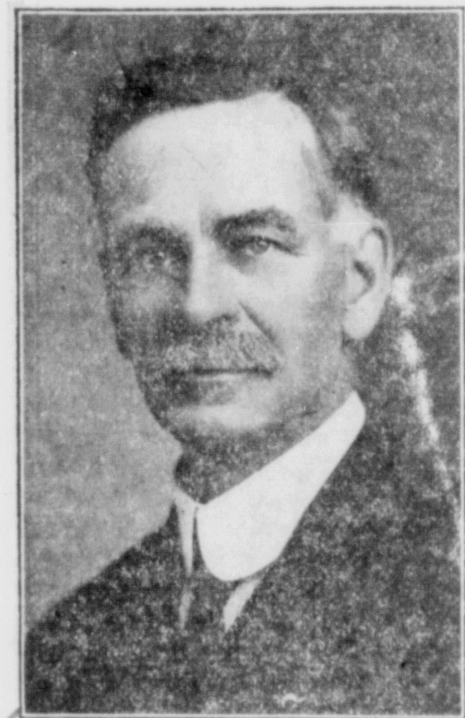
N. H. INGERSOLL HAS PASSED AWAY

Member of Firm, Ingersoll & Wieland
of Brainerd Dispatch. Called
Monday Evening

WAS SICK BUT A FEW DAYS

Was Postmaster of Brainerd Fourteen
Years, Factor in Development
of Brainerd

Newton H. Ingersoll, age 58, member of the firm of Ingersoll & Wieland, publishers and editors of the Brainerd Dispatch, died Monday evening of heart trouble at his home, 224 North Fifth street, following a short illness of three days. On last Friday evening, while at work in his garden, he was suddenly taken sick. Doctors and nurses labored in vain. He rallied Monday morning, but failed steadily in the afternoon. The



NEWTON H. INGERSOLL

end came about 10 o'clock Monday evening. He was conscious, recognized the family and relatives about him, and was resigned to his call beyond.

He was born in Plover, Wis., October 28, 1859, near Stevens Point, residing there during his childhood and learned the printers trade in his father's office, and later worked on the Stevens Point Journal. One of his most treasured exchanges was this same paper which continued to come to him uninterruptedly from the time he left the first paper he had worked for.

Later he conducted a paper at Columbus, Wis. He was married at Plover to Miss Harriet H. Hall on June 13, 1881. They had two children, one a daughter that died in infancy and the other a son, Dr. H. G. Ingersoll, practicing in Brainerd.

From Columbus Mr. Ingersoll went to Ada and was employed on a paper there with Fred Puhler who later was engaged in the Kindred campaign. The congressional district then comprised the whole northern part of the state. Mr. Ingersoll and Mr. Puhler came to Brainerd and the latter bought the Brainerd Dispatch, then established by Frank Meyers.

Later Mr. Ingersoll and Mr. Wieland bought the Dispatch and conducted the same over 35 years. They were among the oldest firms of the city. A daily was added and has been published seventeen years.

Mr. Ingersoll was postmaster of Brainerd fourteen years, serving during republican administrations and well into a succeeding democratic one. He was a member of the State Editorial association and one of its executive committee. He was a member of Zurich Temple of Shriner, the local Ascalon Commandery, Blue Lodge and Chapter, the Woodmen, Elks and other orders.

He was a committee clerk in the legislature at three different periods and gained a wide acquaintance of men and measures.

Mr. Ingersoll took great interest in all agencies for the advancement of Crow Wing county and Brainerd. He was active in the Northern Minnesota Development association, and was a member of the advisory board of the Brainerd Chamber of Commerce. The last meeting he attended at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon, five hours before he was taken sick, was a committee meeting at the Chamber of Commerce.

He was a member of the First Congregational church for years, being a trustee of the church.

He was a charter member of the Brainerd Typographical union. He gave much time to Red Cross work and was an active member of the surgical dressing class.

In addition to the wife and son surviving him, there are two sisters, Mrs. Peter Schumacher of McGregor, Iowa, and Mrs. Walter J. Smith of Brainerd. His mother died two years ago and his father, a civil war veteran, preceded him some years

ago. His parents lie buried here and he will be laid near them.

In his relations with employees at the postoffice and in the newspaper office he was always kindly and courteous and no honest appeal ever went unnoticed. He had a faculty of gauging men and their capabilities which was remarkable, discovering much latent ability and giving it a chance to "make good." He was ever working for the good of the community and striving to uplift men by giving them a chance "to stand on their feet."

The funeral will be held on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the First Congregational church and he will be buried under the auspices of the church and Knights Templar of Ascalon Commandery. Rev. G. P. Sheridan is both pastor of the church and commander of the commandery.

The Knights will assemble in full uniform and meet at the hall at 1:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon to attend the funeral.

The active pallbearers named are Knights Templar John Carlson, F. A. Farrar, George W. Greweck, A. J. Halstead, George D. LaBar and Judge W. S. McClenahan.

The honorary pallbearers are H. McGinn, C. H. Paine, C. A. Albright, Wm. A. Spencer, R. W. Seelye and F. W. Stout.

—BUY W. S. S.—

EXPRESSES HIS DISAPPOINTMENT

A. G. Whitney of Brainerd Gas & Electric Co., Wished Action on Gas Amendment

ASSERTS HIGHER RATE NEEDED

Gives Order to Hold in Abeyance Installation of New Unit—Boiler Trouble at the Plant

In an interview with A. G. Whitney, of the Brainerd Gas & Electric Co., the latter said:

"We were disappointed last night when your city council failed to pass the ordinance permitting the Brainerd Gas and Electric company to add a surcharge to its gas bills during the period of the war. Much to our regret the matter was laid over for two weeks. This delay is exceedingly serious in view of the fact that our plant is not safe to run in its present condition with only one generating unit. We still have faith in the fairness of your local authorities and instead of cancelling the order outright for our duplicate unit, costing \$10,000.00, which unit is absolutely essential for continuity of service—the only service we would think of giving Brainerd—we have this morning sent the following telegram to the American Gas Construction company of Newton, Iowa, from whom we are purchasing the new unit.

Brainerd, Minn., May 21, 1918. American Gas Construction Co., Newton, Iowa.

Please hold order in abeyance if possible until after June third next council meeting here. Cannot accept any part of apparatus at this time and unless council permits increased rates will necessitate our cancelling the order outright on June fourth. Letter follows.

(Signed) THE LIGHT & POWER Co. of St. Cloud.

A. G. Whitney, President.

"Yesterday, unfortunately we had the same trouble with our boiler that we had last Christmas and it was only the very best of good luck and by working a large force of men continually yesterday and all of last night that we were able to resume the making of gas this morning at 6:30. Due to the city water being shut off yesterday without notice we were not able to carry the usual quantity of stored gas. Our anxiety and haste in this matter is due to the fact that with but one generating unit installed, which has been in continuous service since August 28, 1916, the plant is left in a dangerous condition as it is well known that it is necessary to shut down a boiler at regular intervals in order to keep it in a high state of efficiency."

—BUY W. S. S.—

ENLISTMENTS RECORDED TODAY

Harry W. Anderson of Cushing and Alfred J. Oberg of Backus joined the field artillery and left for Duluth on the afternoon train. Their applications were received by Corporal Wm. Slove.

Fred W. Barry and Myren A. Ward have enlisted in the navy, leaving for the training station on Monday. Their enlistments were taken by H. P. Dunn, the postmaster.

REWARD FOR INFORMATION

I will pay \$25 reward for information that will lead to the recovery of my Ford car that was stolen from my garage on Sixth street south on the night of May 6. The car was 1914 model and the number was 433,409, engine number 452,279. The license number was 156,643. Notify August Hallquist, Brainerd, Minn. 28991

BANNER DAY AT THE PAPER CO.

Northwest Paper Co. Turns Out 90,000 Pounds of Print Paper on Monday, May 20

THE MILL RUNNING FULL CREW

Stock of Pulp Wood on Hand Sufficient for a Year's Operation, Good Stage of Water

Monday, May 20, was the banner day with the Northwestern Paper Company so far as output is concerned, since it began grinding pulp and manufacturing print paper on April 16, 1917.

The big mill out on the old Mississippi turned out 90,000 lbs. of print paper Monday from approximately 93,000 lbs. of pulp and this product of Brainerd skill and efficiency will go to different sections of the country to be used in the publication of newspapers and general print stock work. Full Crew Employed.

The mill is running a full crew, one hundred and sixty-eight skilled employees and is recognized as one of the best and most modernly equipped plants in the country of its size. It has one of the highest speed paper machines made with a capacity of 750 feet of print paper to the minute, the completed product coming off the finishing rollers in a continuous sheet and is then carried to the big spools where it is wound for easy handling. Good Supply of Stock.

The mill has a stock of pulp wood on hand sufficient for a year's operation and the stock pile of pulp from what is known as the overflow, is steadily growing. Forty-two cords of spruce wood are used daily in the manufacture of the regular output and the company has laid in a large supply from the north. A good stage of water is now afforded and the mill is running in perfect system and up to the ideals of an efficient management.

—BUY W. S. S.—

BRD.-VERNDALE BOX SCORE

BRainerd	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Carlson, 2b	4	0	0	1	6	0
Bush, cf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Gaskill, c	3	2	6	6	1	0
Cook, 1b	3	3	2	13	0	0
Caron, rf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Stallman, 3b	3	1	1	2	1	2
Nelson, ss	1	0	0	0	1	2
Benda, ss	3	0	1	1	3	1
Shelfo, lf	4	0	1	1	0	0
LeNeau, p	2	0	0	0	2	1
x Gustafson	1	0	0	0	0	0

Totals 32 6 6 27 14 7

VERNDale	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Allen, ss	5	3	0	0	3	0
Schuff, 1b	5	0	2	11	1	2
Pettit, 2b	4	0	0	1	3	0
Fox, 3b	5	0	1	3	3	0
Anderson, c	5	0	1	4	0	0
Johnson, p	4	0	1	0	1	0
Dickinson, cf	3	2	1	4	1	0
Pike, rf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Beven, lf	3	1	1	3	0	0

Totals 38 7 8 27 12 2

Summary—3 base hit, Benda; two base hit, Fox; double play, Dickinson to Schuff; base on balls, by Johnson 2, by LeNeau 3; struck out, by Johnson 3, by LeNeau 4. Umpires, Powers and Beach. Time, 2:16.

—BUY W. S. S.—

ROLL OF HONOR

Brainerd friends of Alden Fuller will be glad to know that he has arrived "safely across the pond," as he puts it in a message received by Marion Phelps this morning. Mr. Fuller enlisted in the aviation corps at Los Angeles, Cal., in December. His friends writing him may address him 823rd Aero Squadron, A. S. C., c/o A. E. F., via N. Y.
—BUY W. S. S.—

SETTING AN EXAMPLE

Sophomores of High School Will Decorate Assembly for Baccalaureate Sermon

The sophomores of the high school will set an example for future underclassmen this year in the matter of decorating the assembly rooms of the high school for the seniors.

The baccalaureate sermon is to be delivered Sunday evening and the sophomores propose to make the assembly rooms attractive in the colors of the senior class and the national colors.

Heretofore, the juniors have decorated the rooms for this occasion, but it was suggested to the sophomores that it would be fitting for them to assume charge of the decorations and the plan met with prompt approval. A committee was named today to have charge of the work.
—BUY W. S. S.—

READ THE DISPATCH WANT ADS

YOUNG MAN DIED

Edward Albert Hoffman, Born in Lake Benton—Funeral This Afternoon

Edward Albert Hoffman, born in Lake Benton October 19, 1891, passed away in Brainerd where he had lived the past three months. He was employed at the railway shops. He was a son of August T. Hoffman and was married to Miss Amanda Knutzen last April.

The funeral was held at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon from the B. C. McNamara undertaking chapel, Rev. Wm. Lloyd Crist officiating.

—BUY W. S. S.—

"KAISER MUSTACHE" IS NOT POPULAR

Owner of Same, One Henry Nudorf, Austrian Alien, Loses it in Brainerd This Morning

OFFENDING POINTS CLIPPED

Nudorf Was on His Way From International Falls to North Dakota and Stopped Here

A "kaiser mustache" with its rapier-like points upturned, did not appeal to a soldier and two strangers in Brainerd Tuesday morning and they clipped the offending adornment from the upper lip of Heinrich Nudorf.

Nudorf's card showed him to be a registered Austrian alien of International Falls, serial No. 977. He claims he was on his way from the border town to North Dakota.

He speaks little English and that very brokenly. After the loss of the mustache he claims he was struck and he has a black eye to bear witness.

He states he is 43 years old, unmarried, and that he has been in the United States since 1913. Today he wears a closely cropped mustache, resembling the kind bankers and other solid men of a community wear.

Reports have it that a war argument was in progress, during which Nudorf gave vent to the expression that Austria and Germany were both "good countries." Then the trouble started.

—BUY W. S. S.—

RED CROSS ORDERS

Thrift Stamps and War Savings Certificates Cannot be Accepted by Red Cross Workers in Campaign

The following telegram was received by Chairman D. D. Schrader of the Red Cross War Fund campaign and district chairmen have been notified accordingly:

Minneapolis, May 20. Washington orders thrift stamps and war savings certificates cannot be accepted by the Red Cross. Order is positive and not subject to change. Instruct all solicitors.

Signed, JOHN LESLIE, Northern Div. Mgr., Second War Fund Campaign.
—BUY W. S. S.—

CATCHING BLACK BASS

Two Pelican Lake Men Arrested and Fined \$30 Each and Costs

Albert Elmer and Arthur Nichols of Pelican Lake, charged with catching black bass, were arrested by Deputy Game Warden A. P. Cardie and brought before Judge Holman of Pequot. Each was fined \$30 and costs.

Our Line of Defense.

It is a moment of tense nerves—ready to slip out of the trench at the word of command—and at the enemy. Our men on the firing line are physically fit for military service because only about one man out of five was chosen to endure the hardships of this fearful war. But we must not be content with 20 per cent in physical health of our American youth. We cannot afford to lose four men out of five because of physical unfitness. Such weaknesses can be cured. Many times the kidneys are to blame.

If the kidneys are clogged with toxic poisons you suffer from stiffness in the knees in the morning on arising, your joints seem "rusty," you may have rheumatic pains, pain in the back, stiff neck, headaches, sometimes swollen feet, or neuralgic pains—all due to uric acid or toxic poisons stored in the blood and which should be swept out.

Then procure at your nearest drug store Anuric (double strength). The cost is 60 cents. This Anuric drives the uric acid out. Send Dr. V. M. Pierce, Buffalo N. Y., ten cents for a trial package.

Dr. V. M. Pierce, Buffalo N. Y. I had been troubled with disordered kidneys for about two years. My back ached terribly, side pains, and I had frequent passages. I let it run on until just recently, when I read of Doctor Pierce's Anuric. I have taken the Anuric but a short time, but am now feeling fine. My side and back have stopped aching, the passages are not so frequent, and I sleep well at night now, which I couldn't do before. I certainly advise anyone suffering from kidney disorders to use Anuric. —Mrs. L. GIFFILAN, 289 State Street.



Our New Skirts Plain and Fancy Silk, Wool, Wash Skirts



Beautiful plain tailored wool skirts; plaid wool skirts; plain and fancy silk skirts in black, white and colors and a large selection of wash skirts is what our skirt section offers to you. Why not see them?

H. F. Michael Co.

NOW ESTABLISHED IN FINE OFFICE

County Food Administrator Andrew E. Berglund is now established in regular offices at 212 Iron Exchange building with a corps of volunteers assisting in clerical work.

All people who have not to date received or made their May 15th flour report should write or telephone the food administration, telephone

No. 987, and cards and instructions will be sent promptly.

(Political Advertisement—Inserted by and for George A. Ridley of Ironton. Amount to be paid, \$2.00.)
TO THE VOTERS OF CROW WING COUNTY.

Having filed for sheriff of this county, I would appreciate your support. I have been chief of police of Brainerd and of Ironton, and have served as a deputy sheriff on the range over four years. I am a resident and taxpayer of Ironton.
GEORGE A. RIDLEY.
20612-20-27—2211w

JUNK WANTED

Wholesale and retail buyers of Irons, Metals, Rubber, Rags, Magazines, Bags, Hides and Furs, highest market prices paid. A square deal assured all who trade with me. Call or telephone 941.

Brainerd Iron & Metal Co.
H. PERLMAN, Prop.

OLD PAPERS FOR SALE—5 CENTS
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The finest store

Get the "City Store" Sale Price—We can Beat it Every Time

A quality hard-

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D. M. CLARK and Co. Home Makers

A wonderful fur-

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Your Credit is Good at Clark's—Wherever You Live

Please Don't Throw Away that Mail Order Catalogue Save It---It is Valuable

It costs more than a Dollar to place it in your hands—altho, of course, if you have bought from it, you have paid for it long ago, and paid also for the hundreds and hundreds that never brought in an order. But here is a chance to use it, AND TO SAVE 10 PER CENT OF THE PRICES QUOTED IN IT. And we don't care whose catalogue it is, or where the place of business of the firm is.

Just bring us in the catalogue, show us what you want, pay us IN ADVANCE, the catalogue prices, LESS 10 PER CENT, on any article of furniture or hardware in the book and we will send and get you the identical article described in the catalogue, OR A BETTER ARTICLE. When it arrives here you pay the freight and drayage and unpack it and assume any damage in transit.

NOW let it be understood—you assume the responsibility for delay or damage in shipment, and we make no exchange. Isn't that a fair deal.

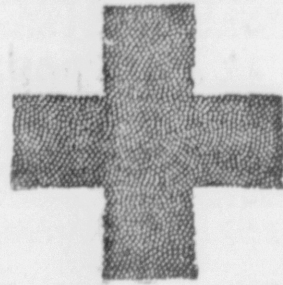
Wouldn't you rather buy from us than the catalogue house, when you can save 10 per cent of the price and get identical quality and service, forgetting, entirely the fact that we have paid more than TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS IN TAXES AND MORE than ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS IN SALARIES AND WAGES IN OUR THIRTY YEARS OF BUSINESS IN BRAINERD.

And notwithstanding that discount of 10 per cent, if you will be faithful in your patronage of us as you have of them, we will be glad to retire in the few years on the profits we can make from you.

Remember, we don't urge you to buy from these catalogues, we don't say that even with that ten per cent discount you can do as well as you can by buying at any first class hardware or furniture store in Brainerd, for we know absolutely, that you can't—but all we ask is that if, from curiosity or desire to build up other communities, you MUST buy out-of-town, then, NOW, OF ALL TIMES, SAVE THAT TEN PER CENT.

This Offer Is On the Square---
Just Try Us Out

WATCH THE DATE
May 20-25th



*"A great net of mercy drawn through
an ocean of unspeakable pain"*

The Greatest Mother in the World

STRETCHING forth her hands to all in need; to Jew or Gentile, black or white; knowing no favorite, yet favoring all.

Ready and eager to comfort at a time when comfort is most needed. Helping the little home that's crushed beneath an iron hand, by showing mercy in a healthy, human way; re-building it, in fact, with stone on stone; replenishing empty bins and empty cupboards; bringing warmth to hearts and hearths too long neglected.

Seeing all things with a mother's seventh sense that's blind to jealousy and meanness; seeing men in their true light as naughty children—snatching, biting, bitter—but with a hidden side that's quickest touched by mercy.

Reaching out her hands across the sea to No Man's Land to cheer with warmer comforts thousands who must stand and wait in stench and crawling holes and watersoaked entrenchments where cold and wet bite deeper, so they write, than Boche steel or lead.

She's warming thousands, feeding thousands, healing thousands from her store; the Greatest Mother in the World—the Red Cross.

Your help is needed—give till the heart says stop.

Every cent of every dollar received for the Red Cross War Fund goes for War Relief.

The American Red Cross is the largest and most efficient organization for the relief of suffering that the World has ever seen.

It is made up almost entirely of volunteer workers, the higher executives being without exception men accustomed to large affairs, who are in almost all cases giving their services without pay.

It is supported entirely by its membership fees and by voluntary contributions.

It is today bringing relief to suffering humanity, both military and civil, in every War torn allied country.

It plans tomorrow to help in the work of restoration throughout the world.

It feeds and clothes entire populations in times of great calamity.

It is there to help your soldier boy in his time of need.

With its thousands of workers, its tremendous stores and smooth running transportation facilities it is serving as America's advance guard—and thus helping to win the war.

Congress authorizes it.

President Wilson heads it.

The War Department audits its accounts.

Your Army, your Navy and your Allies enthusiastically endorse it.

Twenty-two million Americans have joined it.

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